

Digital Footprinting: a student response system lesson



Objectives:

- Students will participate in group/pair discussions
- Students will contribute to class discussion
- Students will answer questions using Activote student response system
- Students will acquire knowledge of WEB 2.0 Tools
- Students will evaluate the lesson

What is a possible meaning of the word "footprint"?

Get together with a partner and discuss for a minute or two.

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What types of footprints are there?

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Let's take a look at physical footprints as they relate to a piece of literature.



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Do you recognize this map?



Which character do you think made the most significant **PHYSICAL** footprint over time?

Take a few minutes and talk together to determine your answer.

Give reasoning

Ralph

Jack

Piggy

Simon

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How can we define **DIGITAL** footprint?

Talk with another partner for a few minutes and come up with a definition.

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How prepared are you to create a digital footprint in the 21st century?

Let's take a quiz, using the student response system.



This will take a few minutes to set up so please be patient.

Determining 21st Century Literacy: Digital Footprint

This quiz is designed to determine your readiness for the 21st century either as a teacher or a student. Are you prepared? Have you developed 21st century literacies? Answer the questions to the best of your ability.

BE HONEST!

Do you now understand the meaning of a digital footprint?

A) *Yes*

B) No

Was the previous lesson helpful in creating this understanding?

A) True

B) False

You are about to see a series of symbols, representing forms of WEB 2.0 tools. Indicate whether or not you use them currently. Do you understand the directions?

A) Yes

B) No



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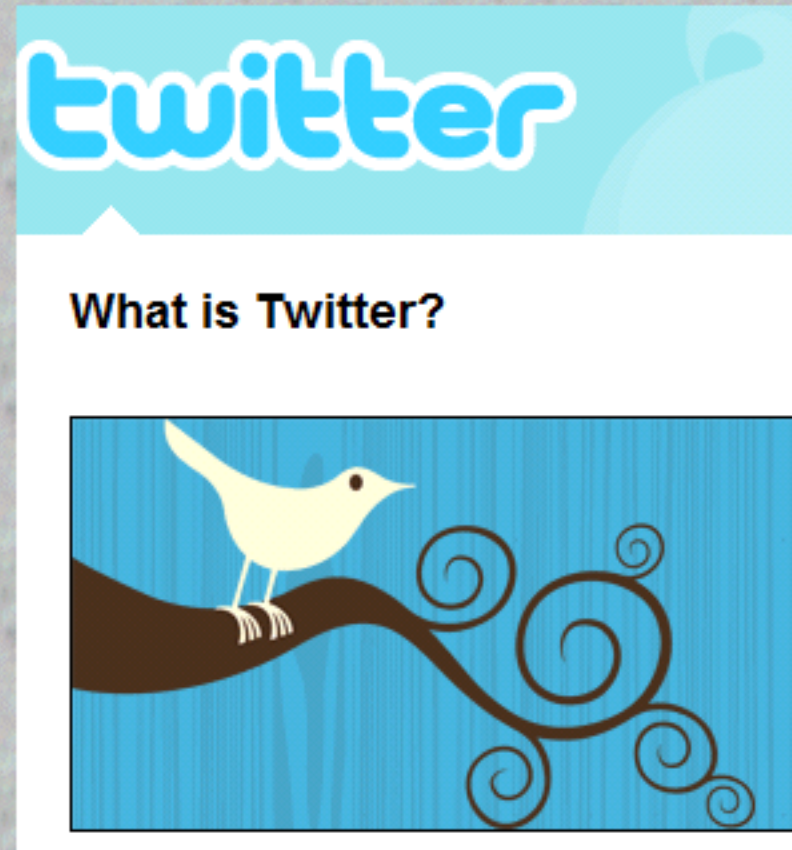
A) Yes

B) No

Twitter

A) Yes

B) No



Blogs

A) Yes

B) No



You may answer "yes" if you participate in any blog.

RSS Feeds and/or
Podcasts

A) Yes

B) No



This one belongs to Apple exclusively. There doesn't seem to be a universal symbol for podcasts.

MySpace and/or
Facebook

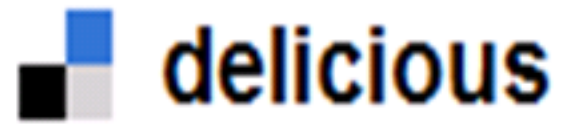
- A) Yes
- B) No



Delicious.com

A) Yes

B) No



YouTube.com and/or
TeacherTube.com

A) Yes
B) No



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A) *Yes*

B) No



Skype or ichat

A) Yes

B) No



iChat

Animoto

A) Yes

B) No



According to your
responses, do you think
you are **GOOGLEABLE**?

- A) Yes
- B) No

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Are you interested in establishing a digital footprint any time soon?

- A) Yes
- B) No

Why or why not?

Can we draw purpose for developing a digital footprint by analyzing the most significant footprint (character) from *Lord of the Flies*? Is there something to learn from this character's role in the novel?

What will we lose if we resist developing a footprint at all? Consider the characters again.

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